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the President.

Wm. Penn Clarke's Sentence Com-

muted to One Year's Imprisonment

-Simms' Application Denied.

A budget was received at the White

House this morning from the President at

Gray Gables. It was made up almost en-

tirely of pardon cases. A pardon to re-

store citizenship was granted in the case

three years' sentence seven years ago

for concealing stolen mail matter. The

President has suspended the execution of

the senterce in the case of Edward Camp-

bell, convicted in Minnesota of selling

liquor to Indians, pending the advice of the

judge who presided at the trial as to

Applications for pardon were denied in

the cases of Isaac Carter, sentenced in In-

diana to one year's imprisonment for pos-sessing counterfeit money; Edward E. Wil-son, sentenced in Arkansas to six months' imprisonment and fine for embezzling money order funds; Michael F. Finnerty, sentenced in New York to two years and six months for making counterfeit coin.

Clarke's Sentence Commuted.

The President has commuted to one

year's actual imprisonment the sentence

of two years imposed upon William Penn

Clarke in the District of Columbia Octo-

ber 7, 1895, for forgery. The indorsement

in this case is as follows: "Sentence com-

muted to one year's actual imprisonment, to date from the time of the convict's ar-rival at the penitentiary. This commuta-

tion was granted upon the recommenda-tion of the district attorney who prosecut-

ed the convict and because of his good

character before the conviction, his ap-parently sincere repentance and out of sympathy for his mother and his wife and

Simms Refused Pardon.

The application for pardon was refused

in the case of Charles Simms, convicted in

the District of Columbia of larceny and

robbery and sentenced March 10, 1891, to

four years' imprisonment in the Albany

penitentiary. The President's indorsement

of this application is as follows: "There is no reason for executive elemency in this case unless it is based upon the bad condition of the convict's health, and I am not fully satisfied that he should be

pardoned at this time on that account."

A WIDESPREAD CONSPIRACY.

Prisoners on the Isle of Pines Plan-

ned a Revolt.

HAVANA, July 30 .- Details received here

from the Isle of Pines, the penal settlemen

off this coast, show that the conspiracy to

murder the governor, Col. Berriz, and capture the guardship and barracks was wide

DR. JIM TAKEN TO PRISON.

With His Companions Will Be Treated

as Second-Class Misdemeanants.

LONDON, July 30.-Dr. Jameson and his

companions, Major Sir John Willoughby,

Col. Reginald Grey, Col. H. F. White, Ma-

for R. White and Captain Henry F. Coven-

try, who were convicted and sentenced

Tuesday for violating the neutrality laws

in invading the territory of the South

Africa republic, have been removed to

Wormwood Scrubbs prison, where they will be treated as second-class misdemeanants.

The announcement yesterday that they had been made first-class misdemeanants at

Helloway prison, which allowed them to have their meals from outside the jail, to

dress in their own clothes, to have their

menial work done by the other prisoners and to have a small allowance of beer or

wine, referred to only a temporary ar-

COLLIDED IN THE SHIP CHANNEL.

Wrong Orders Cause a Mishap in

New York Bay.

NEW YORK, July 30 .- The Hamburg-

American line steamer Patria, Capt. Bauer.

which arrived this morning from Hamburg,

was run into in the ship channel, lower bay

by the outward-bound three-masted school

er M. A. Willey. The steamer's two after

port life boats were smashed and the

schooner carried away her bowsprit. Other-

wise neither vessel sustained serious dam-

As the Patria was heading up the regular

ship channel, the M. A. Willey was observed

heading to the eastward, with her sheets

eased off. Capt. Bauer stopped the Patria

and ordered the ship's engines reversed at full speed, in order to allow the schooner to cross the ship's bows. The steamer gave

the regular whistle to let her know that h

her to pass. The schooner apparently un

derstood the signals, but just as she was

lose on the steamer her helmsman sun

denly put his wheel hard-a-port, so that the schooner's bowsprit struck the steamer

SHOT A TILL-TAPPER.

A Seventeen-Year-Old Boy Killed by

a New York Patrolman.

NEW YORK, July 30.-Frank Wollweber,

aged seventeen years, son of a barber, was

alled by Patrolman Meyer just before

daybreak. The officer saw young Woll-

weber and two companions drop from the

window of a saloon and gave pursuit.

Wollweber's companions disappeared.

After calling to the young fellow to stop

the patrolman fired at him and brought

Then the officer saw that the lad was one

he had talked with only an hour or two before, and with whose father, keeping a

shop opposite the police station, he was on terms of intimate friendship. The af-

fair caused Meyer real grief. He is un

der suspension pending an investigation of his conduct in firing the shot. Two dol-

lars in change, which had been taken from

A Young Highwayman Confesses.

DENVER, Col., July 30 .- It has been learn-

ed that one of the robbers of the stage

ceach near Cripple Creek July 23 has been

arrested and is now in jail at Colorado

Springs under the name of Edward Bur-bank. It is said that Burbank, who is

twenty years old and a son of a prominen

Cripple Creek merchant, has confessed. Some of the booty was found in the back

vard of a house, where Burbank told the

Killed by an Express Train.

HADDONFIELD, N. J., July 30.-Ephri

am Golver, a prominent citizen of this place,

was instantly killed this morning by be

ing struck by the Atlantic City express of the Camden and Atlantic road. He step-ped out of the way of the south-bound train directly in front of the north bound. He was sixty-five years of age.

ficers it had been buried.

saloon, was found in young

on the port side aft.

Wollweber's pockets.

was stopped and backing engines to allow

age.

rection was suppressed. The

severely dealt with.

whether or not he shall be pardoned.

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FUSION IMPOSSIBLE

Democratio Leaders Do Not Expect That With the Populists.

THE MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD MEN

Southern Democrats Must Be Taken Into Consideration.

AN INDEPENDENT TICKET

It is not believed that the democratic leaders anticipate any general fusion with the populists as a party. It is understood that there was no reservation whatever in Bryan's declination of the populist nomination on a ticket with anybody but Sewall. No doubt is felt that he will repeat the declination if a populist notification committee waits upon him. In the judgment of men whose advice he must rely on during the campaign, and seemingly in his own judgment, there is nothing short of that left open to him. It has been made evident that any course on his part which would be satisfactory to the middle-of-theroad populists would entirely discredit him with most of the old-line democrats, though they be silver men. It is not thought that he ever contemplated such a course, nor that it has been expected of him by the democrats who sought to cap-ture the populist convention or even by the populist leaders who are Bryan men. The Bryan men in the St. Louis convention and those whom they represent are silver men rather than populists for this occasion. The anti-Bryan, or middle-of-the-road, men are populists rather than silver men, and many of them fear that the free coinage of silver would postpone and probably defeat altogether that which they want above all altogether that which they want above all things, an unlimited issue of unredeemable paper money by the government. To satisfy these latter Bryan would have to commit himself to irredeemable paper money. Neither the populist leaders who advocated the nomination of the democratic ticket nor the democrats anticipate his doing this, por is it thought possible that he could or would dump Sewall. Nor is it regarded as possible for the democrats to divide electors with the populists when every elector tors with the populists when every elector accorded the populists would be a vote against Sewall

Effect of Populist Support. The western populist leaders, such as Peffer, Simpson and Allen, expect Bryan to get the western populist vote, no matter what is the outcome of the present tangle. The general idea is that there will be an adjustment which will be satisfactory to the western populists and most others who are ardent silver men, and that the southern middle-of-the-road populists will put up an independent ticket in a more or less irregular way, probably transferring Wat-son to the head. The only southern state to which the democrate are likely to try in which the democrats are likely to try to make terms with the populists is North Carolina. In the first place, it will be difficult to nake any terms, and, in the second place, every southern populist vote they might get through concessions would probably cost Bryan several straight dem-ocratic votes. The southern democrats have got to be taken into consideration. it has been made evident that there is danger of swamping the ticket by overloading it with populism, and if too much is yielded in the effort to get populist support a very considerable body of demoticket has been turned over to the populoyalty to give it their support. Many who wanted the populist indorsement of Bryan feel already that it will be better if the populists are not too unanimous in their support of the democratic candidate. They rather court the antagonism of the southlation is that the recent growth of the populist party in the south is largely due to their being joined by silver democrats who were disgusted with the Cleveland admincould not be hoped for through the old democratic party. All these men who have become populists on account of silver, they calculate, will support Bryan regardless of populist party action. If this proves true, the opposition of the irredeemable paper populist Bryan. lists, they think, will be a benefit to

An Independent Populist Ticket.

Their idea is that if they can get the entire silve, vote of the south for Bryan it will insure his carrying all the southern states, even with three tickets in the field. The party leaders will probably act on this idea, and the most probable thing is that there will be an independent populist be to prove to the country that there is a populist parties, but which will not be expected to take many votes from Bryan in quarters where he cannot spare them. A complete fusion is practically an impossi-

EXHIBITION BUILDINGS BURNED.

Disestrous Fire Near Montreal This Morning.

MONTREAL, Quebec, July 30. - The greater part of the Montreal exhibition buildings were destroyed by fire early today. The fire started in the power house of the Montreal Park and Island railway to the north of the exhibition buildings, while the fire brigade from that portion of the city was out in response to a third alarm for a fire in the premises of Howden. Starke & Co., wholesale hardware. Consequently when the fire apparatus reached the scene the main building and many smaller ones were burned to the were destroyed. The loss will be about

HAD TO SINK HER.

The Italian Warship Roma Struck by Lightning.

ROME, July 30.-The Italian armored warship Roma, of about 5,800 tons displacement, was struck by lightning yesterday and caught fire. The flames spread rapidly, threatening to reach the magazine, and it was found necessary to sink the ship by discharging torpedoes at her. She was built in 1865, was of 3,000 horse power, 262 feet long; had a speed of about thirteen knots and carried two twenty-three-centi-meter guns and a dozen rapid-fire guns of different calibers. Her armor belt was four and a half inches and her deck plating twenty-six inches thick.

CORRUPTION IN CHICAGO.

Charges Ageinst the Police Similar to Those Made by Dr. Parkhurst. CHICAGO, July 30 .- Evidence tending to

substantiate wholesale charges of police corruption in Chicago is in the possession of the Civic Federation. A movement is on foot to secure an investigation of the police department similar to the Lexow investigation in New York. The charges, it is asserted, include specific cases of extortion of money from the unfortunates of the and semi-criminal classes. Captains, lieu-tenants, sergeants, detectives and patrol-nen are, it is said, included in the roll of disherer.

No Requisition Yet for the Murderer of Miss Drown.

HIS COLD-BLOODED BEHAVIOR

Different Confessions Make His Crime Even Blacker.

CITIZENS ARE EXCITED

When it became known that he was under arrest and was behind the bars at the ninth police station hundreds of people were attracted there because of a desire to get a look at the cold-blooded murderer. But Lieut. Heffner had received orders from Maj. Moore that nobody should see him, not even a representative of the local newspapers. The prisoner was only being held for another jurisdiction. Maj. Moore said he thought it highly improper that he said he thought it nightly improper that he should be interviewed last evening or even seen. And so the order that the highly prized criminal should be kept alone where he could not be annoyed went forth. But there were exceptions to the order, for there were some favorites among the many callers, and they were allowed to enter the sacred precincts of the prize prisoner. There was no admission fee charged, and those who passed before the iron grating behind which was the animal in human form did not even have to show cards.

Now there is a dispute going on in the police department as to what officer really arrested the murderer. The records of the department show that the arrest was made by Sergt. Bryan, while officers of the sixth precinct claim that Policeman A. J. Kimmel is the officer who actually placed

Smith under arrest.

It is true that the East Capitol street house where Smith was captured is in the ninth precinct, where Sergt. Bryan does duty, and he was on guard there. He was inside the house. This fact, it is asserted, was not known by Officer Kimmel, and the latter being an enthusiastic officer with detective proclivities, was hovering about the neighborhood of the house hoping to get a glimpse of the man in event of his appearing at the house. Smith under arrest.

when Smith's presence there became known, so it is claimed, and when his voice was heard in the basement and somebody said, "There he is now," it is said spread. The prisoners rose when the soldiers of the garrison were at mass, and it is possible that the plan might have sucseeded had it not been for the fact that a woman gave the alarm in time for the troops to be called to arms, and the insurthat Kimmel, who is very quiet in his movements, hurried down stairs, took pos-session of the murderer and then turned ringleaders of the revolt are likely to be

him over to Sergt. Bryan. ter was called to the attention of Maj. Moore and there it ended. The major was satisfied with the fact that the man had been apprehended, and the question of who

His Movements.

has done any amount of talking, in which he has made numerous confessions. These so-called confessions are so much at a variance with each other that the officers hardly know which one to accept as the truth. It is certain, however, that he had not told the whole truth about the occurrence in Miss Drown's room on Tuesday when he assaulted and killed her. The finding of the handkerchief of the murdered woman and the blood stains on it from the knife corroborate this part of his confession, and the finding of the knife in the garret room, where the two farm hands were confined, turns out to have no bearing whatever on the case, for the knife which he used, as stated in his confession ves terday, he hung on a nail in the kitchen and there left it. Then, too, the prisoner's movements after he left the house are un-certain, for according to his statement he came across the country, walking all the way to the city, and called at the East Capitol street house, where he got his supwalking boldly along the road, making no effort at concealment, and it is said that a colored man answering his description was seen in one of the public vehicles riding from Benning to 15th and H streets north-

While at the house on East Capitol street Smith told the colored servant, who is an intimate friend of his, that he was going to the house on B street, where the search was made, but instead of going there he says he spent the night in the Capitol grounds. When he had not returned to the East Capitol street house at daybreak it was thought by some of the officers that he had probably gone up the line of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad toward West Virginia, where he was born, and that there might be a repetition of the Ford ar-rest at Harper's Ferry, but others clung to the belief that he would return to the East Capitol street house when he got hungry, and this proved to be the correct theory.

Late yesterday afternoon Detective Lacy called at the ninth precinct station and ad an interview with the prisoner. Lieut.

"This is Detective Lacy," he said, "and he wants to see if you know him or if he knows you."

"I think he does not know me," came from behind the bars, "because I didn't go around the city very much."

"Yes, sir; I am," he answered, smilingly "I am in a bad position."
"Do you fully realize your position?" the detective next asked.
"Oh, yes, sir." came the response from

"They say vou got angry with the lady because she refused to kiss you," the offi-cer said, "what about it?"
"She ought not to have gotten angry about that," was his response, "for I had

"Then do you realize that you have got "'Of course I do."
"Are you sorry for what you have done?"

better. If they would take me out and me tonight I'd be perfectly satisfied, for then the worry would be off my mind."
"My friend," said the detective, in disgust, "an awful hell awaits you unless you prepare to meet your God." What the prisoner said in response to this the detective did not understand.
"This prisoner is perfectly sane," said Detective Lacy. "I've seen eleven men hanged, and he's the coolest of all these murderers. Jim Grady was a cool man, and he smiled while being pinioned, but this man exceeds him in coolness"

From the conversation and conduct of

Continued on Eighth Page.)

A Form of Campaigning That May Prove Very Effective.

It Will Cover the Whole Country and Reach All Classes for Sound Money.

The campaign for sound money is not to be left to the exclusive guidance and control of the politicians. The proposition that the question at issue is of a business rather than of a political complexion is accepted, and business men are preparing to take an earnest and organized part in the fight. Merchants, manufacturers, tankers, brokers, transportation men, all show a desire to serve the cause, and will move in their own way to do so. They expect to distribute more documents than the regular campaign committee. More arguments will be held across business counters than on stumps. More people will be reached and addressed in this way than by the orators employed to spellbind the multitude in public halls and county court houses.

Belief That It Will Be Effective. This project is of an ambitious character, and recommends itself strongly to many leading men. It is new, and the belief is that if properly carried out it will prove very effective. The question is of a purely business nature, and whenever two or three are gathered together in the matter of trade it comes up of is own accord. It needs no forcing-no by-the-way introduction or apology. The merchant offering for sale a pair of shoes, the manufacturer great bales of goods, the banker negotiating a loan, the railroad manager special rates over his line, each naturally drops into a discussion of the money question with his customer, and all may in that way increase the circulation of the sound money argument. sound money argument. All will do so. The arrangements to that end are now in progress, and by the middle of August widely extended business men's league ever organized in the United States will be in existence and at work.

Can Reach All Classes.

The facilities of the league for reaching all classes and conditions of men will be very great. Every commercial traveler will become a canvasser, not only for orders, but in the interests of sound money. There are hundreds of thousands of men so employed. They have their state associations, their clubs, and they exert a good deal of influence. Their business takes them into all of the small towns and trading points. They travel by rail, by boat, by bicycle, by country wagon. They have the widest acquaintance with people in every section of the country. These men, whose interests are allied with those of their employers, are all for sound money. Several clubs in the mid Canton.

The literature that the business men will distribute will not be the regulation political literature—the cullings of political debates, and all that-but business arguments, prepared by business men for business consumption. These men feel that from long experience they have gotten the "hang" of reaching the every-day man on a business proposition; that at this time he may be willing to listen to them when he might draw back from a great orator or famous political expounder. At any rate, so convinced are the business men of all grades and all lines that this is a business man's year, and that a great deal depends on his activity, that they are going to set the pegs for a hard pull, and a strong pull, and a pull The league will extend from Maine to Texas, and from New York to California.

SATOLLI'S SUCCESSOR.

Prior General Martinelli to Be Papal Legate.

ROME, July 30.-Father Martinelli, prior general of the Augustinians, has been appointed successor to Monsignor Satolli, as papal delegate to the Roman Catholic Church in the United States.

THE MARYLAND SITUATION.

Representative Rusk Says the Demo crats Will Have an Uphill Fight.

Representative Rusk of Maryland said to Star reporter today: "The situation in Maryland outside the cities is satisfactory to the democrats. In the cities, that is, in Baltimore, the mercantile and commercial interests are largely against us. There is very little original silver sentiment; the democrats will support the ticket on account of a feeling of party loyalty. Under the circumstances, with the republicans in power in the state and all that, it is going to be an uphill fight for us.'

The Columbia and Passale.

A telegram was received at the Navy Department this morning announcing the safe arrival at Brunswick, Ga., of the big cruiser Columbia, with the monitor Passaic in tow. The monitor is to be loaned to the state of Georgia for the use of its naval militia. The Columbia will remain at Brunswick a few days only, when she will start north to join Admiral Bunce's squadron in the property of th ron in its proposed evolutions and drills off the coast of New Jersey.

West Point Cadets' Appointed.

Cadet appointments to the Military Academy have been issued to Harry Stovall of Athens, Ga.; Benjamin F. McClellan of Tallalah, La.; Elmer L. Ham of Pana, Ill. Paul C. Withrow (alternate), Springfield, lll.; Harry B. Jordan of Tacoma, Wash., and Henry M. Boutelle (alternate) of Olym-

Not Asked to Resign.

The report that Henry C. Smith, United States consul at Santos, Brazil, has been asked to resign is officially denied at the State Department. Mr. Smith is a colored man and is well known in this city. He is an appointee of President Cleveland. He has been granted leave of absence and is now on his way home. Charges have been made against his methods of doing business, but as yet no action has been taken by the department.

Lieut. Colwell Acquitted.

Word has reached the Navy Department that Lieut. J. C. Colwell, executive officer of the ram Katahdin, who was recently tried by a court-martial at New York on a charge of assault, preferred by a refracory servant, has been honorably acquitted and restored to duty. The court-martial was ordered by Admiral Bunce, who has approved the result.

Babcock to Be Renominated. BOSCOBEL, Wis., July 30. - The third congressional republican convention was called to order at noon today and adjourned until 2:30, when Congressman Babcock

Getting Down to Work at National Committee Headquarters.

THE FUSING ON ELECTORAL TICKETS

Ex-Chairman Mott Thinks There Should Be No Trouble.

GETTING CAMPAIGN FUNDS

Dr. J. J. Mott, the ex-chairman of the national committee of the silver party, was at the headquarters of the party in the Corcoran building this morning for a short time. Tonight he will leave for his home in North Carolina.

"Do you expect serious complications in the matter of fusing on the electoral tickets?" Dr. Mott was asked this morning by Star reporter.

"I do not see why there should be any trouble," was Dr. Mott's answer. "The party which refuses to fuse in a number of states will be looked upon as standing in the way of silver, and will get the worst of the bargain when the people vote in November. My opinion is that the people of the country of all parties are too earnestly and loyally for silver to let a few politicians stand in the way of a union of

the silver forces."
"Do you believe that Watson or Sewall will come off either ticket?"

Dr. Mott answered that he had no idea what would be done in this direction, but even if each refused to get out of the other's way he did not see why that should cause so much trouble. He believed that an agreement could be reached by which the candidate for Vice President receiving largest vote would be united upon in the electoral college, conceding, of course, the claims of the silver men that they will have a majority in the electoral col-lege. If Sewall gets a majority of the votes cast in November the populist elec-tors will vote for him. On the other hand if Watson gets a majority the democrats will vote for him.

Preparing for Business.

A. H. Pile, who is temporarily in charge of the silver party headquarters, is getting everything in shape for the work to be done by the committee. Chairman Lane is in the west and it is not known when he will be here. His business in the west is said to be more important at this time than it could be here. He is out among the believers of the white metal raising funds with which to carry on the cam-paign. So much faith is put in his ability in that line that it is believed by those who for sound money. Several clubs in the middle states have already telegraphed their congratulations to Mr. McKinley, and are at work for him, and their messages are among the most highly prized of all received at with, and is also said to have given a out of his own pocket to start off the fund with, and is also said to have given a large check to assist in defraying the ex-penses of the St. Louis convention. Mr. Lane is the owner of the Ulca gold mine in California, which is considered by some to be the largest and richest in the country. It is claimed that he has not a dollar invested in silver mines and that he is in no way interested in silver except that he believes it ought to take its place alongside gold as a money metal.

> Scope of Its Work. It is said that the national committee of the silver party will undertake a work which will be peculiarly its own. It will endeavor to bring republican silver men into the fight for Bryan and Sewall. An enthusiestic member of the party said to a Star reporter that of the 734 delegates at the St. Louis convention 534 were republicans, and the remainder democrats and populists. He considered this as showing which way the wind was blowing. "We have organizations !n nearly every state in the country," he said, "and before the campaigr is over not a state will be left unorganized. We are better organized in the middle western states now than anywhere else. That is where the fight is to be made and that is where our organiza-tion vill count. We confidently believe we will have enough republicans in our organization before the election to carry every one of the middle western states for Bryan and Sewall. In other words, we will

it to elect the silver nominees." Lots in Literature.

It is understood that much of the work of the committee will be devoted to organization of the silver forces in the way of clubs. &c., but that the important matter of circulating silver literature will be given proper attention. A large force will be employed so soon as the permanent headquarters are established, and the mat-ter of clubs and distribution of literature will be attended to almost exclusively by The committee, as stated in The Star.

will co-operate as much as possible with the democratic national committee and will relieve the latter committee of much important work.

Trustees to Have Control.

Judge Bowler, controller of the treasury, has given an opinion to the District Commissioners, that the District inspector of buildings should not have supervision over the repairs to the Columbia Hospital for which Congress made a special appropriation of \$5,000. The controller says it is apparent from a reading of the provision that only new construction or repairs amounting to reconstruction, would come under the supervision of the District inspector and that as the repairs in question are not of that character, it is his opinion that the trustees of the hospital should have full control of the disbursement of the apprepriation.

Army Orders.

Capt. John W. Dillenback, 1st Artillery, has been ordered to Catskill and Delhi, N. Y., for the purpose of selecting a camping ground at one of those points, or other suitable place in the Catskill mountain region, during the practice marches of the battery, heretofore authorized. The following transfers in the 15th In-

fantry have been made: Capt. George F. Cooke, from Company 1 to Company E; Capt. David D. Mitchell, from Company E o Company I. The following transfers in the 15th Infantry have been male: First Lieut. Charles G. French, from Company K to Company D: First Lieut. Alexander R. Piper, from Company D to Company K.

The Cushing Goes to Newport. The torpedo boat Cushing, which has been lying at the Washington navy yard for several morths, left there this morning for New York on her way to Newport, where she will be stationed for the rest of the summer, for duty in connection with terpedo practice. She will make the entire journey by the inland passage, and will stop at New York for a few days to take on necessary stores. The Cushing has al-

ready traversed this route several times, and there is no longer any doubt of its

practicability for naval vessels of light draught. The trip is made by way of the

Chesapeake bay, Delaware bay and Long Island sound and the intersecting canals.

Commissioners' Report of Operations During the Year.

Some Increase in the Receipts Mostly From Spirits and

The commissioner of internal revenue has just submitted to Secretary Carlisle a pre liminary report of the operations of his tureau for the fiscal year ended June 30 It shows that the receipts from all sources of internal revenue for the year aggregated \$146,830,615, being an increase of \$3,584, 537 over the receipts of the preceding fiscal year. The expenses approximated \$4,044,-351, and the percentage of cost of collection will be 2.70, a reduction of .18 in the percentage as compared with the preceding fiscal year. The exact cost cannot be definitely stated until all the accounts have been received.

From spirits the receipts were \$80,670,070, an increase of \$807,443. The largest item of increase under this head was from fruit spirits, where the receipts (\$1,584.879) were \$488,863 in excess of last year's receipts from the same source. Retail liquor taxes also increased by \$221,106, rectifiers' taxes \$49,458 and wholesale liquor dealers' special taxes \$46,243. The only decreases noted were trifling, being in the cases of manufactures of stills and stills themselves.

Revenue From Pobacco. Tobacco brought in a revenue of \$30,711,-629, which was \$1,006,721 more than was derived from this source in the preceding year. There was a general increase in all the items under this head, the largest being in cigarettes under three pounds per thousand, where the receipts were \$2,021,-195, or \$357,493 more than in the preceding year. Chewing and smoking tobacco brought in \$15,220,028—\$323,849 more than in the preceding year. Cigars and cheroots over three pounds per thousand realized \$12,713,267, an increase of \$221,350, and snuff afforded a tax of \$752,915, an increase of \$103,027.

From fermented liquors there was derived taxes aggregating \$33,784,235, or \$2,143,617 more than during the preceding year. Ale, beers and similar liquors brought in \$33,139,141, an increase of \$2,004,-

Shrinkage in Oleomargarine. There was a falling off of \$189,778 in the

taxes realized from oleomargarine, the revenue from which amounted to \$1,219,432. The decrease was general in all the items under this head, the largest item being \$112,817 in the direct tax on oleomargarine, while retail dealers' taxes shrunk \$57,215 and wholesale dealers' taxes \$26,520. and wholesale dealers' taxes \$26,520.

The miscellaneous receipts diminished \$182,600 during the year, the largest item being \$122,548 decrease in the receipts from playing cards, which were only \$259,953.

During the past year 67,039,910 gallons of spirits distilled from other materials than fruit were withdrawn for consumption, which was a decrease of 7,413,129 gallons as compared with the preceding year. Cigarettes to the number of 4,042,391,640 were drawn out, which was 714,987,890 more drawn out, which was 714,987,890 more drawn out, which was 714,987,890 more drawn out, which was 14,987,890 more drawn out, which were situated that the republican headquarters here will be opened early next week.

Another has appeared among the republication in the first district. The newcomer was to the opened early next week.

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Illinois returned more internal revenue taxes than any other state, the total collections there being \$31,973,133. New York came next in order with \$21,620,470. Kentucky stood third, with \$14,903,110. Ohio and Pennsylvania were close together, with \$11,947,724 and \$11,145,548 respectively. Missouri, \$6,959,915; Maryland, including the District of Columbia, \$5,968,895, and Wisconsin, \$5,012,077. None of the remaining

NATIVES IN REVOLT. Consul Doty Reports on Affairs at

Tabiti.

returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30 .- Jacob Lamb Dety, American consul at Tahiti, arrived in this city yesterday. In speaking of the condition of affairs in the island he said: "Quiet prevails on all the islands excepting that of Raitea. There the natives are in revolt against the French and have been for some time. It looks as if peace would be restored without loss of life, though.

"The French have shown great toleration and forbearance. They are trying to subdue the revolution without slaughter. The natives have retreated to the mountains and are holding their position there. The French instead of attacking, are mere ly waiting for the islanders to come down and establish peace. This they are now about or the point of doing, I understand." Consul Doty will leave for Washington in a few days.

GETTING DOWN TO WORK.

Socialists Realize That There Has Been Too Much Talk.

LONDON, July 30.-After wasting thre days in wrangling over questions arising from the inspection of the credentials of the delegates and their right to be admit- and Gen. E. W. Pettus are in the city, and ted, the fourth session of the International Socialist Labor and Trades Union Congress was opened today in St. Martin's Town Hall. The delegates lost no time in complaining bitterly of the sterility of the proceedings. They claimed they had been sent by gry millions" to atetnd to business and not to air their own dissensions and so play into the hands of their enemies.

These complaints seemed to have considerable weight with the assembly, for the session was a comparatively quiet one. The report of the agrarian committee favoring the socialization of land

Mr. Maguire, the delegate of the socialist party in the United States, will present to-day a long report on the history of the movement in the United States, in which are copious quotations from the resolutions adopted by the socialist conven-tion on July 4, and also a declaration of the principles of the socialist trade and

TERRORIZED BY POLICE.

Law-Abiding Citizens at Cripple Creek Unjustly Arrested. DENVER, Col., July 30 .- A special from Cripple Creek says that a reign of terror exists in the town. It is asserted that the police marshal makes regular assessments on the gambling fraternity and that re-spectable and law-abiding citizens are thrown into jail, tortured and fined without Fowler, 2d Cavalry, has been extended one ven a pretense of a warrant of authority. For several months, it is alleged, out rageous acts on the part of several of th city officials have been growing more fre-quent and bold, but the special says so completely have the police terrorized the people that they not even dared to criticise the acts of the officials. Among those who have been persecuted are the "Boy Preacher" Rice and his wife.

> Col. Calvin F. Burns Dead. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 30 .- Col. Calvin Fletcher Burns, president of the National Bank of St. Joseph and one of the state's leading financiers, died at his home here yesterday evening after an illness of two weeks. He leaves a widow and one daughter, and an estate valued at \$1,000,000.

THE STAR BY MAIL,

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Senator Wellington Outlines the Plan of Campaign.

TARIFF WILL BE SUBORDINATED

Aid of Democrats Will Be Invited.

OUTLOOK IN MARYLAND

PALTIMORE, Md., July 30.-Senator-

elect Wellington spent a few hours this morning on his way home from New York, where he had gone to attend the conference of Chairman Hanna and the other leading republicans of the east. In a corversation with The Star correspondent at the Carrollton Mr. Wellington said: "The New York meeting was highly successful in every way. The reports heard from the several parts of the country represented were extremely encouraging, and resented were extremely encouraging, and all present felt that the prospects of the campaign were very gratifying. My impression is that in the conduct of the general campaign the financial question will be pushed to the front and the tariff and other issues subordinated. That such will be the course adopted in our Maryland campaign I can state authoritatively. We expect to poll a large vote of sound money democrats, and out of regard to their low-tariff proclivities all allusion to protecdemocrats, and out of regard to their low-tariff proclivities all allusion to protection will be, as far as it may be possible, rigorously excluded. We feel that we cannot afford to affront our sound money allies. Then, after all, every republican really feels that the tariff has no place in this campaign, although he may be just as strong a protectionist as ever. The preservation of the national credit should be the watchword, and high tariff oratory will be not only intrusive, but a product of

be not only intrusive, but a product of poor judgment."

When asked about the situation in Maryland, Mr. Wellington replied: "I believe that our electors, ticket will be triumphantly elected. I have reviewed the entire field carefully during the last few days, and am glad to believe that any defection from our ranks because of free coinage sentiment will amount to nothing. We will retain our full vote, and in addition will be reinforced by a heavy sound money democratic vote. In fact, from what I can gather, I feel sure that the Maryland democracy will suffer a defection of at least 25 per cent of its voting strength, and if we get a fair proportion of these boiters, Mckinley and Hobart will carry the state by between 20,000 and 30,000 majority." be not only intrusive, but a product of

shore. Talbot has aiready a candidate in the field in the person of Dr. Isaac H. Barber of Easton, who was Col. Mulliken's lieuco was taken out to the amount of 255, 667,137 pounds, an increase of 5,397,499 pounds.

Returns by States.

Of Easton, who was Col. Munificer's neu-terant in the house of delegates last winter during the latter's context for the Urited States senatorship. Senator Drysenson den of Somerset, it is asserted, will win the republican nomination in the district, but, should be fail, Col. Mulliken is likely

to prove an important factor in the fight, FAIR ELECTION PROMISED.

Democrats in Alabama Said to Be Uneasy Over Monday's Election. Special Dispat h to The Evening Star.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 30.-Gen. Jas. B. Weaver, who arrived here Tuesday and was in conference all yesterday with populists and democratic workers with regard to the state election, to be held next Monday, has left for his home in Iowa. Gen. Weaver was used as a go-between between the democratic and populist workers to intercede for fair elections for the latter in return for populist support of Bryan. He telegraphed yesterday for National Chairman Jones to come here and use his efforts to secure a square deal for the populists at the polls Monday. Mr. Weaver's departure is taken to mean that Senator Jones ordered him to keep hands off the local fight in this state. Weaver concluded not to take the stump in this state because of the pos-sibility of hurting Bryan's chances in the Sibility of nurring bryan's chances in the November election were he to make anti-democratic speeches now. He was assured by democratic leaders before he left that everything possible would be done to have

Democratic managers are displaying un-Democratic managers are displaying unensiness as to the outcome next Monday. John B. Knox, state democratic chairman, today publishes an appeal to democratic to leave nothing undone which will contribute to the success of the party. As to the result he says: "So far as this state is concerned I think I may safely say the fight is won."

He urges democrats, however, to make the majority sufficiently large so as to settle the question of democratic supremacy for years to come.

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acy for years to come.

There is a gathering of democratic leaders here today. Senator Pugh, Gov. Oates will make speeches in this vicinity tonight.

J. R. Sovereign and "Cyclone" Davis are
here for the populists, and will speak every day until Sunday. Sovereign says that the populists all over the country will vote for Bryan, and that Watson's candidacy

ALABAMA'S CAMPAIGN.

Governor Atkinson Speaks for Bryan and Silver.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 30.-Gov. Atkinson of Georgia spoke to a packed house last night for Bryan and silver. There were many bolting gold democrats among the audience, several of whom left before the speech was finished. His reference to Cleveland was received in silence, while reference to Senator Morgan brought loud

PROSPECT IN IOWA. Chairman McMillan Says the Repub-

lican Outlook is Good. DES MOINES, Iowa, July 30.-Chairman McMillan of the republican central committee has closed a series of conferences with members of the state committee, representing the various districts. He states that the outlook for republican success in Iowa is good, and that it is increasing now daily. The committee will begin at once to distribute literature, and not later than the 15th of August will put speakers in the field. The congressional candidates are many of them already in the field, holding outdoor meetings. The democrats are also getting ready for their campaign, but they are compelled to await their state conventi-August 12, before making final arrange

IOWA GOLD DEMOCRATS. Committeeman Martin Issues & Call

for a Conference. MARSHALLTOWN, Iov.a. July 30 .- L. M. Martin, state committeeman, issued a call today for a conference of gold standard democrats at Des Momes August 4 for the purpose of organization and to select a rep-

resentative to attend the Indianapolis

A Budget Received at the White House From

of Matthew Callahan, who completed a

The murder of Miss Marguerite Drown, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Sarah Drown, at Seat Pleasant, Tuesday afternoon, was discussed throughout the city as well as in Maryland yesterday, and the horrible confession of James T. Smith, her slayer, had the effect of intensifying the feeling against him. The crime itself, the country people thought, was horrible enough, but his confession only added fuel to the flame already kindled, and people for miles around Seat Pleasant were terri-

Who Arrested Him.

Whatever was done Lieut. Heffner of the ninth precinct did not relish the idea of Kimmel's being there, and said so. Lieut. Kelly, in whose precinct Kimmel does duty, thought that his officer had a right there, and he so declared himself. Then the mat-

actually caught him was a matter of minor

Since the arrest was made the prisoner

tective ane introduced him to the fiend. Talked to Lacy.

"You seem to be in a pretty bad position?" queried the detective.

the man, who was still smiling. "I know I killed her."

"Tve got a little worry on my mind, and wish it was over. And the sooner the

PARDON CASES SMITH STILL HERE BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE THE SILVER PARTY INTERNAL REVENUE MONEY TO THE FORE